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**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please delete and replace the entire paragraph under "ABSTRACT" with the following rewritten paragraph:

An actuator switch for use in an electronic energy meter has a reduced number of parts, and can be used to actuate multiple concealed switches. An actuator switch includes an inner actuator portion having ribs separated by at least one gap, and an outer housing with a locking-tab, where the locking-tab corresponds to at least one gap for interlocking.